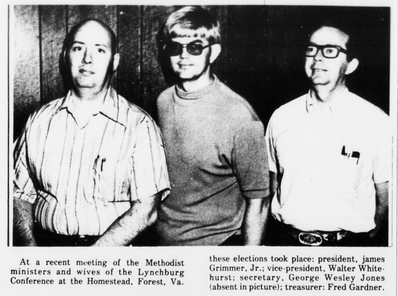

At a recent meeting of the Methodist ministers and wives of the Lynchburg Conference at the Homestead, Forest, Va.

## *Ministers Elect Officers For 1973-74*

These officers began serving this month and will serve throughout June 1974 at which time the Bishop of the Virginia Annual Conference will make pastoral changes.

The president acts as chairman of monthly minister meetings even though the District Superintendent is in charge of the affairs of our district. Rev. Mast, of course, takes time during our business session for all the business he has to bring before the ministers. Programs are provided by this group and many objectives are set forth.

Our Conference School of Missions will be held on our District at Randolph Macon Women's College, Aug. 6-10. Also a week end school is held August 11-12. Mrs. J. W. Wiltshire, Jr. is the Lynchburg District Missions Secretary and is making vigorous plans for the conference. The registrar for our district is Mrs. W. S. Gregory, Box 224, Altavista, Va. 24517.

these elections took place: president, james Grimmer, Jr.; vice-president, Walter Whitehurst; secretary, George Wesley Jones (absent in picture); treasurer: Fred Gardner.

## Mt. Shiloh Church Choir Celebrates Anniversary

The Mount Shiloh Baptist Church senior choir celebrates its anniversary this Sunday evening at 7 p.m. The Appomattox Trumpteers will render a special musical program in honor of the choir. The president of the choir, Deacon Calvin, will give the official welcome and some historical facts and accomplishments. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

The annual homecoming and the beginning of the annual revival of the Gravel Hill Baptist Church of Hurtsville last Sunday was a great success spiritually and financially. The morning sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. James Miller and beautiful music was rendered by the home choir. The afternoon service was conducted by the Rev. Sam Lee pastor of the Mount Olivet Baptist Church of Buckingham and his choir. The Homecoming Rally was reported as follows: Mrs. Flossie Walker, $280.00; Mrs. Bertha White, $159.00; Rev. Miller, $103.25; Deacon O. T. Woolridge, $100.00; Rev. H. O. Flood, $100.00; Deacon Clarence Jones, $100.00; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carter, $100.00; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Woolridge, $100.00; Mrs. Lucile Walker, $100.00; Mrs. Sarah W. Robinson, $100.00; Deacon Landon Walker, $50.00; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carter's family, $40.00; Mr. Robert Woolridge, $30.00; Mr. Leory Woolridge, $27.00; and Mr. Robert Watson $25.00. The total amount raised during the day was $1,658.23. The pastor gave thanks and helpful remarks to all who took a part in the drive. The rally was for the completion of the indoor lavatories and well. Remarks were given by the Reverends H. O. Flood and R. Q. Lawing.

A large crowd of relatives and friends attended the funeral services for the late Mr. Willie Braxton at the Mount Zion Baptist Church of Redhouse last Saturday at 3 p.m. The Rev. R. Q. Lawing officated and delivered the eulogy. Music was rendered by members of the Mount Zion choir with Mr. Timotheous Lawing as pianist. Mrs. O. W. Smith gave words of consolation to the family and she spoke of the life of Mr. Braxton as a former student at the former Carver Price High School. The floral designs were in large numbers. Burial was held in the church cemetery.

The Willing Workers Club of the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church held a successful Ladies Day Program recently. The following program was presented: Opening selection by the guest choir; Scripture reading, Mrs. Christine Washington; Prayer, guest deacon; Selection, guest choir; Welcome address, Mrs. Odell Chambers; Response, Mrs. Ora Smith; Roll call of invited churches, Mrs. Mary E. Walker; Selection, guest choir; Introduction of speaker, Mrs. Claudia Woolridge; Sermon, Rev. C. A. Elliott, pastor of the Canaan Baptist Church; Offering, Mesdames Etta Edwards, Jessie Davis, Helen Ligon, and Gracie Walker; Remarks and announcements; Benediction, Rev. Elliott; Mrs. Virginia Goode served as mistress of ceremony. The following ladies reported the following: Miss Hattie Jones, $50.00; Mrs. Claudia Woolridge, $50.00; Mrs. Helen Ligon, $50.00; Mrs. Christine Washington, $50.00; Mrs. Ruth Jennings, $50.00; Mrs. Odell Chambers, $50.00; Mrs. Virginia Goode, $50.00; Mrs. Jessie Davis, $50.00; Mrs. Mary E. Walker, $50.00; Mrs. Marie Walker, $20.,00; Mrs. Matilda Jackson, $20.00 and Mrs. Etta Edwards, $15.00. With the public offering a total of $605.62 was reported.

Impressive services were held at the Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a helpful sermon. Several visitors attended the service.


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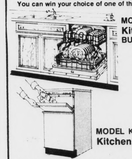

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## Loans Still Available Storage And Drying Equipment

A local ASCS official reminds grain producers in Appomattox County that loans are still available to finance needed on-the-farm storage and drying equipment.

Mr. James R. Ford, Jr., Chairman of the Appomattox County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee, says that comparing recent grain prices with those at last fall's harvest time, leaves little doubt about the real value of adequate storage on the farm. In many instances, the increases would have paid the cost of new storage in this one year alone.

Mr. Ford said that even though some cut backs in the program have been made, the terms and conditions under which loans are made continue to be attractive to any local farmer considering new or expanded storage space.

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Any farmer considering new storage for this year's production is urged to contact the county ASCS office now for full details.

## Gladstone

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald G. Adams visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Phelps, Jr. after their return from California and Mexico. While visiting the western states, Mr. and Mrs. Adams visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Phelps, in California.

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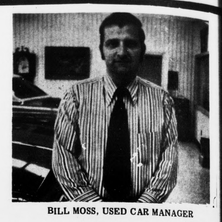

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## Lung Association Presents Enviromental Awards

Annual Community environmental health awards have been made by the Virginia Lung Association (VLA) to clubs in the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs and the Virginia Extension Homemakers Council.

Mrs. Emma G. Anthony,Regional Program Director, Virginia Lung Association, Central Regional Office announced first place went to the Keysville Woman's Club for earning the most points during the year for its enviromental activities. The club will be awarded a silver bowl at its next meeting on May 17. Each year, the bowl is presented to the top winner in the VLA program. A club winning three times in a row retains the bowl as a permanent possession, Mrs. Anthony said.

The Bristol Woman's Club won second place and was given a Certificate of Merit for its participation. Third place winner was the Waynesboro Junior Woman's Club, also presented a Certificate of Merit.

Dr. L. E. Wells, president of the VLA, Central Region, said, "These clubs are to be congratulated for their efforts to clean up our environment. Members worked individually and as a group to improve the beauty and cleanliness of our area. We owe them a debt of thanks and hope they will continue their endeavors. They have inspired others to take an active interest in our community."

Clubs receiving Certificates of Recognition for taking part in the VLA Community Enviro - mental Health Awards Program include the Farmville Junior Woman's Club, Valley Junior Woman's Club and the Blacksburg Intermediate Woman's Club in the Roanoke area; the buena Vista Junior Woman's Club, the Harrisonburg Junior Woman's Club, and the Harrisonburg Woman's Club in the Shenandoah Area; the Mt. Hermon Woman's Club in the Danville area.

Extension Homemakers Clubs receiving Certificates of Recognition were Nottoway, Fairview, Front Royal, and Louisa.

## HOLLYWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and William and Miss Julia Wingfield spent Sunday in Charlottsville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Day of Lynchburg were guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Greer and children of Hampton were supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webb and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Gilliam were supper guest Thursday night of Mrs. W. T. Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Webb and family, Mrs. Claude Hamlett and Brenda visited Mrs. Grover Beasley Sr. last week.

Relatives and friends were shocked to hear of the death of Mr. Philip Scruggs Sunday. Deepest sympathy is extended each of his loved ones.

We are very sorry to hear Mr. J. H. Webb is sick. We wish him a very speedy recovery.

Mrs. Charlie Bagby visited Mrs. Addie Jenkins and Mrs. B. Abbitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Joiner of Kentucky are visiting relatives and friends in Appomattox, Buckingham, Lynchburg, Gretna and Cullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond visited Mrs. Charlie Bagby Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb, Rev. W. H. Elder and Mr. H. W. Jenkins visited Mrs. C. R. Banton Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. John Goin were visitors of Mrs. Banton Thursday night.

Mrs. Ralph Robinson and sons were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith and family of Richmond spent the weekend with Mr. Smith's parents Rev. and Mrs. Otis Smith.

Dinner guest of Mrs. Charlie Bagby Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Joiner, Mrs. Mildred Bagby, Mrs. Lilliam Bailey, Mrs. W. T. Covington, Mrs. N. L. Covington, Mrs. W. H. Wingfield, Miss Julia Wingfield, Mrs.Bill Watson and William, Mrs. James Carson visited Mrs. Bagby in the afternoon.

Mr. Elmo Banton of Richmond spent Saturday with his mother Mrs. C. R. Banton. Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Joiner and Mrs. Charlie Bagby called in this home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webb, Miss Joyce Webb and Miss Odell Webb were dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb. They visited Mr. J. H. Webb Sunday afternoon.

Dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jenkins Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baldwin, Mrs. Nancy Peters, Mrs. Charlie Bagby and Terri and Kerri Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Joiner and Mrs. Charlie Bagby were dinner guest Thursday of Mrs. Mildred Bagby and Mrs. Lillian Pickerel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Miss Susan Irby, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Woodall and Susan and Mrs. Thomas Woodall visited Mrs. Charlie Bagby Saturday.

Mrs. Peggy Hartness of Phenix and grandaughter Chris Banton Hartness were guest Sunday of Mrs. C. R. Banton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Joiner and Mrs. Charlie Bagby were dinner guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Myrt Mann of Gretna.

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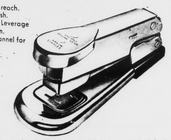

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